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In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the
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are the following for filing in the above-referenced application:

1. Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States
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2. Declaration and Power of Attorney;
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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 02/28/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 02/28/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 02/28/2005
- Biochemical Sequence Diskette filed on 02/28/2005
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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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